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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
THOMAS MAROTTA, ET AL.) : Examiner: U. Ho
Application No.: 09/640,750) : Group Art Unit: 3731
Filed: August 18, 2000) :
For: ENDOVASCULAR PROSTHESIS) : November 18, 2002

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the below-listed information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge
Deposit Account No. 50-1710 \$180.00 for submission of this
Information Disclosure Statement.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in
our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3507.
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Respectfully submitted,



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